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Admitting the very probable supposition that every one who has purchased a good meerschaum desires to have it nicely colored, it may be well to know that, if the pipe is a good one and proper precautions are taken, nothing is easier than to obtain a good color. The first difficulty among Americans is that in smoking as in most else they do, they put on too much steam that is to say, they smoke too fast. The effect is the too sudden application of heat, the wax is driven off and then the oil evaporates and the pipe fails to color. The remedy is simple. Smoke slowly. Like fine wine, which is sipped, not drunk, a fine meerschaum should be smoked reflectively, instead of as if you were inhaling smoke through a brick chimney. Again, when once smoked, let it become entirely cool before refilling, and in doing this avoid laying it on any cold surface, as a marble table or mantel. Never cover a pipe with chambric or anything else, nor smoke it in a case or any other covering; because the wax, instead of remaining upon the pipe, will be absorbed by the material with which it is covered, and the pipe be covered with blotches. Caution should be taken not to smoke a good pipe out doors in very cold weather, the difference in temperature being very apt to cause the material to crack, as the writer has more than once experienced. Bearing these suggestions in mind, you can hardly fail of a satisfactory result in coloring your meerschaum.

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RENO, NEVADA.

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CHARLES QUEEN,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR
AT LAW.

Office with Thos. E. Haydon, Reno, Nev.

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ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
RENO, NEVADA.

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THE DAILY JOURNAL

Is the best daily paper published on the line of the Central Pacific Railroad, east of Sacramento, and having a general circulation throughout the State, it is especially valuable as an advertising medium.

THE DAILY AND WEEKLY JOURNAL have a combined circulation larger than that of any interior journal of Nevada, excepting those in the Comstock.

CARL SCHURZ' anxiety to retain control of the Indian Bureau is explained by an Eastern paper, which says he wants them to kill timber thieves.

Geo. P. Marsh, our Minister to Italy, is a Marsh that ought to be drained. He has represented this country seventeen years, and drawn \$204,000 as salary.

OMAHA has a high school; in fact, an exceedingly high school. It scatters educational light around on Omaha and keeps the inhabitants paying interest on its debt of \$180,000. If the school is as high as its cost it has a good elevation.

Forty years ago the first steamship that crossed the Atlantic left New York. There are scientific persons yet alive who scoffed at the idea of trans Atlantic steamship navigation, one Boston gentleman going so far as to offer to bet the first boat propelled by steam that would cross the ocean. It is not stated whether or not he kept his generous offer, but it is pretty certain that if he should undertake to get away he would have an exceedingly lively meal.

There are only eight States in the Union where the postal service pays its way, and half of them are in New England—New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Michigan—the net surplus of revenue from these States being over \$2,530,000. If the remaining States did as well, the department would have a surplus of over \$10,000,000 to turn into the treasury annually, instead of lacking about \$5,000,000 of being self-sustaining.

From the assassination of Julius Caesar, B. C. 44, till the division of the Roman Empire, on the death of Theodosius, A. D. 395, sixty-three emperors occupied the throne of the Caesars, of whom twenty-nine were murdered, three killed, three assassinated, two committed suicide, two poisoned, two resigned, one was burnt, one drowned, one strangled, one put to death, one died of plague, one died of a shameful and loathsome disease. The remainder died decently.

JOSEPH COOK, in the course of a lecture on Socialism last night, said one chief peril was from the cowardice of political parties, neither daring to declare openly against Socialism. The time might come when unprincipled classes in large cities holding the balance of power will control the politics of the country. The time is not very far off when New York will be as large as London, and there would possibly be another London where now a little village at the Golden Gate stood trembling before the verbal gymnastics of sand lot oratory.

The testimony being taken by the Teller Committee in New Orleans has a familiar sound. It is the same that has been doled out in regular portions for the last four years—tales of bloody deeds and tyrannical acts in which the negro is always the sufferer and the white man the persecutor. It may be true and it may not, but so many similar stories have been proved false that the people will feel doubtful about putting faith in this new batch of horrors.

Now Chicago has fallen into line and is experimenting with the electric light. During the past week the effect of carbon has cast its illuminating ray over the city, and with such success, that an engineer on the Northwestern states that on Tuesday night, when the light struck his locality and made it as light as day. The electric light company think the city can save the large sum of \$350,000 a year by using the light instead of gas; and, besides, have a clean, bright, and airy atmosphere. It seems a wonder that the electric light is not adopted.

EDITORIAL JOTS.

A terrible story comes from the Cheyenne Indians kept at Fort Robinson. They broke out from their prison and took to the hills. Troops followed and killed a number of them. The Indians were compelled to strike out for themselves or starve—the starving agent keeping all the appropriations. Forbearance ceased to be a virtue and the Indians broke out with little or no clothing and half starved. In this condition they were pursued and shot down. It is hardly in good taste for Secretary Schurz to insist in the face of this, that the Indians are well cared for. One thing is certain, the War Department can do no worse. The corruption in the Indian Service must be stopped, or a fearful general war will break out in the Spring. Nor will the Indians be to blame. Even the civilized white man would fight before he starved.

In view of the startling disclosures being made in the California School circles, the question is pertinent, if the school system of Nevada is pure. We do not know of fraud being committed, but is a system where school children only thirteen or fourteen years old can get first grade certificates, the correct one? It would seem that age is as essential as book learning. Our School Law is hardly above suspicion and frauds could easily be committed, whether they are or not.

The Supreme Court decision against polygamy does not suit the followers of Brigham Young, and they are very wrath against the "persecution of the church." They say that the "decrees of God" is above all law, and intimate that they will not observe the law. This places them in direct opposition to our Government, and as violators should be punished. Every polygamist, from Geo. Q. Cannon, their Congressman, down should be punished. Will the United States break up this hot bed of iniquity?

The Potter Committee has yielded to the inevitable and will investigate the cypher dispatches. Cyphernal J. Tilden will be summoned before the Committee and will try to explain why Graneroy Park figures so much in the Tribune's exposure. Doubtless Tilden will do his level best to "explain things." It is a foregone conclusion that the public will not be satisfied with his evidence. The Democracy rather wish they had bought dynamite with the money they voted for Potter's Committee to "investigate" with.

There are those in New York City who think the place is working its own downfall by introducing rapid transit and by building the Brooklyn bridge. People, it is thought, will in this way leave the city and reside elsewhere, and thus New York covers itself with taxes, while it furnishes easy means for taxpayers to escape out of the city limits. There is no doubt great force in the argument that every sane man will get out of the city just as quickly as he can, and no business man will spend any more time in the place than he can possibly avoid. Still the New York papers propose to get out of the difficulty by having Gotham spread its arms like a huge octopus and gather in and absorb Brooklyn, Westchester county, Jersey City and the hosts of suburban villages in Long Island and New Jersey. This would give the new New York a population of over 2,000,000.

The Canadians are resolved that the members of their Parliament shall be thoroughly watched. Even the run of a message boy is noted and at the end of the year all the Dominion knows thereof. During the session that ended recently, the message boys ran 6,013 trips at the beck of the members. If the M. P.'s themselves will run as well in the coming election they will be sure of reelection. The number of times the bell was rung to summon messenger boys and attendants amounted to 15,770. This useful mass of statistical information must be exceedingly valuable.

The present time seems to be an era of defalcations. A kind of epidemic of embezzlement appears to be raging over the country. One man says, on being captured, "Real estate speculations did it; another, 'whiskey did it,' another, 'stocks did it,' and so on. It never seems to strike the idea that downright dishonesty did it in most cases. It is not only cowardly, but contemptible to seek as a shield such flimsy excuses as it has become fashionable to give.

LETTER FROM CARSON.

Senator Carson's Chinese Vote—State Affairs—U. S. Senator—Hall.

CARSON, Jan. 13, 1879.

ED JOURNAL:—The Legislature is now in its second week, and up to this time, it is said, has done more work during the same period, than any other Legislature. The members seem anxious to accomplish as much as possible, so that when the session is over there will be no complaint that many things have been left undone. What is better, every member appears to consider himself a committee of one to guard the nest-egg of 630,000 in the State Treasury, and my word for it every dollar leg isolated out will be for a good purpose.

IN A FALSE LIGHT.

Senator Comins, of White Pine, has been placed in a false light before the public by reason of his vote on the Anti-Chinese resolution that passed the Senate this other day. He is recorded in the negative, the only Senator voting No. The Senator is as much opposed to Chinese immigration as anyone. His reason for voting No was because he wanted time to examine House bill 2,423, which the resolution recommended to our Senators and Representative. He did not know whether it was sufficiently stringent.

STATE AFFAIRS.

The Insane Asylum bill of Assemblyman Smith, of Storey, is certain to become a law. It will, however, be amended in two or three particulars, in order to make it answer the purpose more completely. Senator Stewart's intention, by his resolution to acquire into the State University, is to ascertain whether it is better to continue it at Elko, remove it, or abolish it. Many members are in favor of the latter proposition; many more believe that it should be removed to Reno, the school town of the State, where, they think, there would be an increased attendance, arguing that those of Western Nevada who now send their children to Santa Clara, Oakland, and other places in California, would keep them at school in Reno, where they would be nearer home, and the change afford frequent visits between parents and pupils. Senator Cassidy's bill to reduce the State tax to 50 cents will become a law at an early day. I expect to see it amended to 40 cents before final passage.

U. S. SENATOR.

To-morrow John P. Jones will be re-elected United States Senator, and no man ever more richly deserved the honor. Each House will ballot separately, as there is a sufficient, with out going into Joint Convention. On Wednesday there will be a Joint Convention to hear the journals read, and the declaration of election made.

INAUGURAL BALL.

On Wednesday night the grand Inaugural Ball comes off at the Opera House, and claw-hammers are in demand. The citizens are making such preparations as will insure a pleasant time to all guests.

Nine Pow.

Bills Before the Legislature.

The following bill has been introduced and is now pending before the Legislature in session at Carson:

[Senate Bill, No. 2.]

AN ACT

To Reduce the Rate of State Taxation.

[Introduced by Mr. Cassidy, of Eureka.] Section 1. For the fiscal year commencing January first, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, and annually thereafter, an ad valorem tax of fifty cents upon every hundred dollars value of taxable property, is hereby levied and directed to be collected and paid for State purposes, upon the assessed value of all taxable property in this State, including the proceeds of mines and mining claims, except such property as is by law exempt from taxation. On all property other than the proceeds of mines, twenty-two cents of the tax shall go into the General Fund of the State, eight cents shall go into the Territorial Interest Fund, five cents shall go into the State Interest and Sinking Fund, ten cents shall go into the State Building Fund and five cents shall go into the General School Fund of the State. Of the tax levied on the proceeds of the mines, twenty-seven cents shall go into the General Fund of the State, eight cents shall go into the Territorial Interest Fund, ten cents shall go into the State Building Fund and five cents shall go into the General School Fund of the State.

Sec. 2. All Acts and parts of Acts, levying a tax for State purposes, so far as they conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed. The National gold medal was awarded to Bradley and Bulson for the best Photographs in the United States; and the Vernon medal for the best in the world. 429 Montgomery St., San Francisco.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE.

NINTH SESSION.

EIGHTH DAY.

Senate.

CARSON, Jan. 13, 1879.—Senate met at 11 A. M.—President Adams in the Chair. Roll called. quorum present. Prayer by the Chaplain. Journal of Friday read corrected and approved.

QUESTIONS OF PRIVILEGE.

Senator Comins, of White Pine, asked leave to have his vote changed on the anti-Chinese memorial and resolution, stating that he had at that time not understood the House bill referred to. Unanimous leave was granted, and Senator Comins stands recorded aye.

The Chair announced as the special committee to draft resolutions to Congress requesting Government help of arid lands to all who build artesian wells in Nevada, Messrs. Stewart, Boardman and Perley.

PETITIONS.

Senator Cassidy presented a petition from merchants of Eureka protesting against any change in the drummer law and attachment law.

Senator McConnell one of like import from Winnemucca.

Senator Comins presented one of like import from citizens of White Pine.

Senator Shepherd one of like import from Elko.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The Committee on Printing reported a resolution authorizing the printing of certain State officers' reports. Adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Stewart—Prohibiting the use of the Legislative chambers except for Legislative purposes. Laid on the table temporarily.

By Boardman—To proceed to confirm the election of a U. S. Senator on Wednesday in joint convention. Adopted.

By McConnell—Granting leave of absence to A. J. Shepherd, Treasurer of Humboldt county. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Wetfield—To purchase a chair for the use of the presiding officer. Adopted.

By Dayton—To pay S. P. Kelly \$78 24 for making duplicate reports of State Superintendent of Public Instruction and Directors of Orphan's Home.

Resolutions lying on the table were ordered taken up.

Comins—To appoint a joint committee to visit our insane and deaf and dumb. Adopted.

Boardman—Referring the various subjects in the Governor's 4th biennial message to various committees. Adopted.

Dayton—Authorizing Secretary to employ additional clerical aid in writing up the appendix. Laid on the table for one day.

Stewart—Appointing a committee of three to examine into the status of the State University. Adopted.

NOTICES.

Stewart—An Act in relation to witnesses and jurors in criminal cases.

Farrell—To amend section 4 of an Act to provide revenue.

Schultz—To prevent loss of personal property.

Meder—To amend section 7 of the Registration Act.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Stewart—Joint resolution relative to granting pension to veterans of the Mexican war. Adopted.

Cresswell—To create a State Board of Equalization. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Gibson—to pay for certain legislative expenses of 1875. Referred to Committee on Claims.

Cassidy—An Act prohibiting public use of the legislative halls. Ordered engrossed.

Shepherd—An Act to amend an Act relating to crimes and punishment. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Boardman—To amend section 44 of the Act incorporating railroad companies. Referred to Committee on Railroad and Internal Improvements.

MESSAGES.

The Secretary of State returned bills 145 and 152, vetoed by Governor Bradley. Made special order for Friday, Jan. 12, 1879.

The Governor sent in the memorial from the California Constitutional Convention regarding the Burlingame treaty. Referred to Committee on Federal Relations.

ADJOURNED.

Assembly.

Assembly convened at 11 A. M. Speaker Gavett in the chair.

Roll called—Quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Davis.

Journal read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Vanickie, from select committee appointed to procure suitable rooms for clerks and committees, reported the selection of certain quarters. Report adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Allen of Lincoln—That Assembly chamber remain in mourning 15 days out of respect to the memory of B. L. Wash, deceased.

Robinson of Eureka—That all resolutions already adopted relative to the printing of bills be repealed. Adopted.

Beard—That a joint committee of three from Senate and Assembly be appointed to investigate affairs at the Orphans Home. Adopted.

NOTICE OF BILLS.

Morrison—Of a bill to regulate compensation of State officers.

Gastou—An Act to regulate fares and freights on lines running within the borders of this State.

Taylor—An Act to create the office of State Printer, and define his duties.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING.

Allen of Lincoln—An Act to regulate the sale of drugs and patent medicines. Referred to Committee on Trade and Manufactures.

Paton of Lincoln—An Act to secure liens to mechanics and others. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

The special order (the veto message of Governor Bradley on Assembly bill No. 145, an Act for the relief of P. C. Hymen) was taken up. After some discussion the bill was passed over the veto by the following vote: Ayes 37, nays 8.

At 12.10 the Assembly adjourned.

DELEGATE CANNON, referring to the recent Supreme Court decision, admitted the right of Congress to legislate against polygamy, but said his people had more to fear from persecution than from prosecution. Under the Act of 1862 he feared the Mormons would institute continuous prosecution for unlawful habitation against parties who would otherwise escape under plea of statute limitation. Mormons would be cravens and poultrons if they yielded their religious principals to the dictations of the Supreme Court.

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